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METHOD THEREOF	)	

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the documents on the attached listing. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed, to the best of our knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed U.S. patents and patent publications are not enclosed. Applicant also brings to the Examiner's attention an Office Action issued on October 18, 2006, in a related parent Application No. 10/609,586, filed July 1, 2003. Applicant encloses a copy of the listed Office Action for the Examiner's convenience and invites the Examiner to review this Office Action. Note that the listed Office Action is also stored in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's image file wrapper system.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies any of the documents as prior art against any claim in the application and Applicant determines that the cited documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicant reserves the right to present to the Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

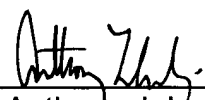
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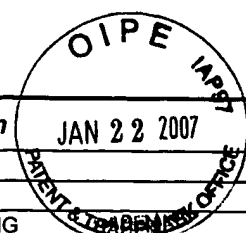
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Respectfully submitted,

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